BOARD OF COMMISSION APPEALS AGENDA

August 26, 2014 1:00 PM

Conference Room B, 50 West Gay Street

<u>Applicants or their representatives must attend this hearing</u>. If applicants are absent it is likely that the application will be continued until the Commission's next hearing. If you have any questions please call City's Historic Preservation Office at 645-8620.

A Sign Language Interpreter to "Sign' this meeting will be made available for anyone with a need for this service. Sign language interpreters must be schedule by calling 645-8620 or TDD 645-3293 at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- **II.** DATE OF NEXT HEARING To Be Determined.
- III. APPEAL APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMISSION

1. 14-4-4

467 North High Street

North Market Historic District

Clear Channel Outdoor (Applicant)

467 N. High Street Condominium Association

Appeal the April 17, 2014 denial of a Certificate of Appropriateness #14-4-4 by the Historic Resources Commission pursuant to Section 3118.06(A)(1) of Columbus City Code:

• The Commission decision to deny an Application for a Certificate of Appropriateness was arbitrary, capricious, and unreasonable.

The following is from the Approved Minutes of the April 17, 2014 Historic Resources Commission Meeting: Following Historic Preservation Officer Staff Report, the presentation by the Applicant/Owner, and subsequent review by the commissioners present, a motion was made, vote taken, and results recorded into the permanent record.

Approve Application #14-4-4, 467 North High Street, North Market Historic District, as submitted. Install Wall Sign/Graphic

- Attach advertising wall graphic to exterior of north facing wall as per submitted rendering.
- *Size to be eighteen feet high by twenty-six feet wide (18' H x 26' W).*
- Material to be lightweight, mesh vinyl installed with wall anchors.
- Display period to be twenty-eight (28) days; May 12 through June 8, 2014.

MOTION: Clark/Palmer (0-6-0) DENIED

Reason(s) for Denial:

Columbus City Code Chapter 3116.11(1), (2), & (5)

The following standards shall apply to evaluation of the appropriateness of a proposed alteration:

- (1)Every reasonable effort shall be made to use the property for its originally intended purpose or to provide a compatible requiring minimal alteration.
- (2) The distinguishing characteristics of the property shall not be destroyed. The removal or alteration of any historic material or distinctive architectural feature shall be avoided whenever possible.
- (5)Distinctive stylistic features and examples of craftsmanship that characterize a property shall be treated with sensitivity.

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H. R. C. Guidelines (p. 72)

- Preserve and maintain historic signage on your building.
- Ensure that the size and placement of a new sign complements the building's architectural style. For example, place a new sign on the sign band on the front façade between the first and second floors of a commercial building.
- **IV.** OLD BUSINESS
- V. NEW BUSINESS
- VI. ADJOURNMENT